

House Bill No. 1277

AN ACT concerning

Used Oil - Prohibition on Burning

FOR the purpose of prohibiting a person from burning any used oil unless it--is--refined--re-refined and the emissions from the burning of used oil meet federal and State air quality standards; -defining-a--certain--term, and exempting certain uses of used oil from this Act.

BY-adding-to

Article---Natural-Resources  
Section-8-1411.1(a)(3)  
Annotated-Code-of-Maryland  
(1974-Volume-and-1981-Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 8-1411.1(f)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1974 Volume and 1981 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland read(s) as follows:

Article - Natural Resources

8-1411.1

(a)--In-this-section,--the--following--words--have--the meanings--indicated--

(3)--"RE-REFINING"--MEANS--THE--USE--OF--TECHNIQUES--ON AND--PROCESSING--OF--USED--OIL--TO--REMOVE--WATER,--LEAD,--FLY-ASH, PARTICULATES,--CHLORINATED--ORGANIC--MATERIAL,--AND--OTHER MATERIALS--THAT--MAY--REPRESENT--A--HAZARD--DURING--REUSE--SO--THAT THE--RE-REFINED--OIL--IS--SUBSTANTIALLY--EQUIVALENT--IN--QUALITY--TO ORIGINAL--OIL--INTENDED--FOR--THE--SAME--PURPOSE--AND--IS--RE-REFINED BASE--OIL--RE-REFINING--MAY--INCLUDE--DISTILLATION--AND/OR TREATMENTS--EMPLOYING--ACIDS,--CAUSTIC--SOLVENTS,--CLAY--AND/OR OTHER--CHEMICALS--

(f) (1) Except as provided under § 8-1413.2 of this title or any other provisions of law, after January 1, 1979,